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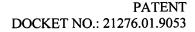
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UTILIZING ZIPPER TAPE MATERIAL

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Substitute Specification and Substitute Drawings are attached pursuant to 37 CRF 1.125.

Listing to the Claims are reflected below beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.